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Special Notice.

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About Town.

Rev. E. D. Simons and wife, and Miss Jennie W. Simons, are at Saratoga.

The Grocery stores of Bloomfield have decided to close this afternoon.

The Watsessing and Roseville base ball clubs will play this afternoon at Roseville.

Mr. Chatterton, mother of Enoch Chatterton, died very suddenly on Sunday.

Samuel G. Moore is now stopping at the Walden, N. Y., for a few weeks, for health.

Mrs. Anzi Dodd and Mrs. Leonard Richards returned from Hampton, Va., on Wednesday.

The regular meeting of the Township Committee will be held on next Wednesday evening.

Bloomfield Lodge, No. 40, will hold their regular communication next Tuesday evening in Masonic Hall.

John Johnson has been appointed organist at the German Presbyterian Church in place of Miss Anna Esslin.

The water company are laying pipes in Park Avenue in order to introduce water in the new parsonage and other residences.

Dr. E. J. Stubbart reached home yesterday for a few weeks' visit after which he will return to Florida where he has a large medical practice.

Bradford Dunning, son of S. S. Dunning, the Glenwood Avenue coal dealer, is admitted on the school ship Minerva on Tuesday for a summer cruise.

The Mutuals of Belleville and the Watsessing played a game of ball on Wednesday evening, which resulted in a tie.

Martin Hummel is slowly recovering from the injuries he received in a fall a few weeks since. The leg is better and the physicians now expect him to recover fully.

Spire Cox, formerly of this place, of Waterbury, Ct., fell a few weeks since and injured his leg and broke ribs. He is now reported as slowly recovering at his Connecticut home.

Rev. DeHenry, of New York, will occupy the pulpit of the Baptist Church Sunday and evening tomorrow.

The Rev. E. D. Simons will be in attendance at the Baptist Convention at Saratoga, N. Y.

A mud dog made its appearance at Watsessing on Saturday afternoon and caused much excitement. It bit a number of chickens and two or three dogs; among them was one belonging to Mr. DeHenry. It was finally shot near the depot.

The Franklin Hosiery Factory have suspended operations for an indefinite period on account of the dull season in that line. The Essex Paper Mill have closed part of their works in order to make room for new machinery and make necessary repairs.

The Knights of Honor Lodge gave entertainment in the hall last evening for the "Mugwump degree."

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The series of fraternal visits which have been made among the Knights of Honor Lodges of this district, are proving very interesting to the members.

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between the Married Men and Single Mens' Nine. The Single Men appeared to have the best of the game, as they all had undergone a "bay rumming" at the tontorial artist's, and it seemed to invigorate them. The game was won by the score 22 to 19 in favor of the Single Nine. Newby Joe was catcher for Married nine and Levy Dun for Single. Captain Jim did some heavy outside batting and remarkable fast running.

The unluckiest boy in Bloomfield is Freddie Benson, about ten years of age, son of Theodore Benson. During the last campaign while the Lehlbach Engineer Corps were going to Montclair, he was knocked down by a carriage and severely injured about the head. One time while playing in Walter Scholler's mill, he was caught in the fly wheel and whirled around several times. Last week while playing ball he was struck and severely injured in the eye, besides making a large cut on his nose. He said himself that he must have nine lives. He is now doing nicely.

On Monday evening the Bloomfield Fire Association elected the following named gentlemen as a board of Trustees: John Sherman, W. B. Chambers, J. H. Hardesty, G. T. Moore, A. R. Brewer, H. J. Sayre, Charles E. McDowell, J. Banks Reford and G. S. Porter. The following officers were also elected: A. R. Brewer, President; H. J. Sayre, Vice-President; J. Banks Reford, Secretary, and W. B. Chambers, Treasurer. T. E. Hays was chosen as the association's candidate for Chief Engineer and a committee of three appointed to wait upon the Township Committee and request the endorsement of Mr. Hays.

The Annual May Play of the children attached to the schools of the Church of the Sacred Heart took place on Thursday Evening, May 28th, in the main hall of the school-house. A very large audience was present and vigorously applauded the efforts of the little ones. They certainly were apt pupils and gave full honor to those who prepared them. The programme opened and closed with choruses, and recitations, dialogues, sketches, and musical solos and duets followed in rapid succession, each seemingly better than the other, and all very bright and splendidly rendered. Whoever had the care of getting up the entertainment must feel proud at its success, no hitch to mar its course, and everything as well rendered as it might be by much older hands. It is evident the pupils are exceedingly well trained and kept well in hand by their teachers.

Decoration Day.

Today, Decoration Day, will be observed in Bloomfield by the W. A. Pier-son Post, No. 58, G. A. R., by decorating the graves of their fallen brothers. At nine o'clock the members will proceed to the cemetery, where the usual memorial ceremonies will be observed and the graves of each hero will be decorated, after which Rev. S. W. Duffield will deliver an oration to the members and those assembled. Donations of flowers can be left at Van Gieson's store at Watsessing, Post's meat market, and at Colfax's store until nine o'clock, after which time they should be sent to the cemetery. In the afternoon and evening of the same day the ladies of the Park M. E. Church will hold an indoor lawn party and bazaar at Library Hall. It will consist of many attractions, including tables of art and fancy work, flower bowers, besides a bountiful supply of cream, strawberries and many other things to satisfy the appetite. The successful manner in which past affairs of this kind have been conducted warrants us in requesting the liberal patronage of this bazaar.

To Whom do the Trees Belong?

Your editorial on trifles was timely, and would have been so if published at any time within the last ten years. It has the right ring about it. The abuse of the trees in our streets and public grounds has long been a source of annoyance to our citizens; but how to stop it is the question. Though called a trifle, you show before you get through with it, that this is no trifling nuisance, and that the time to put an end to it has come.

I have long been wishing to ask the CITIZEN some questions; as, for instance: To whom do these trees belong? I know that they are not the property of those whose names and goods are advertised upon their trunks; nor have the societies and churches who decorate them with notices of concerts, excursions, pic-nics, and lectures, a fee simple to their possession; nor can auctioneers and constables show a clean title to their bark. But they must belong to somebody; it must be somebody's duty to abate the nuisance. Have I a right to tear down notices posted on the trees in the street in front of my house? Has any citizen the right to remove them from the trees on public grounds?

Where is the Township Committee in this regard? Some years ago they em-

ployed men to trim the trees on the Park; does their power stop there? If not, should they not take some prompt and positive action in the case? The Legislature has enacted a law for the observance of Arbor Day, and every year a day is to be set apart for planting trees. Is this chiefly in the interest of the advertising fraternity?

Let us find out whose duty it is to put a stop to the nuisance, and then let it be stopped.

A LOVER OF CLEAN TREES.

St. Mark's Church.

Publishers of Bloomfield Citizen:

Will you kindly insert among the religious notices, you give so fully in your paper, the enclosed, and oblige a number of your readers.

The church is the old West Bloomfield M. E. Church, now occupied by the colored people, who from the interest they take in their church enterprise (which has been in successful operation for about four years), and their very commendable and praiseworthy conduct in regard to all their material and spiritual interests, deserve, and should receive, more notice and appreciation from their more favored white neighbors than is being given them.

The morning service is conducted by a colored minister for the present, and the evening service by Rev. Mr. Cooley, of Upper Montclair, who was chaplain in the army during the war, who has a warm place in his heart for the long down-trodden ones, and has rendered faithful, efficient, and appreciated service to those people for the past two years.

The Sabbath School, numbering about ninety scholars, and which in conduct and general deportment is second to none either in Bloomfield or Montclair, is managed by E. A. Smith, Esq., of Bloomfield, to whom all praise is due for the signal success which has attended his general oversight and management of the whole enterprise.

Children's day will be observed in the evening on June 14th; there will be singing and recitations by members of the School, and flowers will decorate the church. All friends of the colored people are invited to attend.

J. W. SNEDEKER.
[The notice referred to above will be found in another column.—Eds.]

Obituary.

Mrs. James Wyckoff, who died on Wednesday last, was born in a plain farmhouse at Flatlands, Long Island, on the 27th of March, 1792, and was one of the original settlers. She was married when she was twenty-two years of age to Isaac Collins, and came to Bloomfield the same year, 1814, to make this place her home. She lived in the same house sixty-three years. She had ten children; one of them died in infancy. By her industry and activity she raised nine, all of whom are married, two of them still living in Bloomfield—Mrs. Catherine Fairbanks and Mr. John Collins. She was a woman of uncommon decision and energy, and her only ambition, so far as herself was concerned, was faithfully to discharge the weighty responsibility of a good wife and Christian mother. The remaining years of her life were spent at her daughter's in East Orange, where home the funeral services were held. Thus her long life work is ended, and Bloomfield has again lost one of her oldest inhabitants.

BLOOMFIELD LODGE NO. 40, F. & A. M.,
Masonic Hall, Bloomfield, N. J., May 19, 1885.

In Memoriam.

WHEREAS, It hath pleased The Supreme Grand Master of the Universe, to raise our Beloved Brother, John Hall, from this imperfect, to that perfect, glorious, and Celestial Lodge above, there to sit forever in the presence of the Supreme Architect, who, receiving the worship, homage and adoration of myriads of our brethren, forever reigns, forever presides, and

WHEREAS, We desire to place upon record a tribute of respect to the memory of our brother who has ever walked upright before God and Man, always keeping a tongue of good report, squaring his actions by the square of virtue and morality, and guided by the true standard of justice while traveling on the level of time. He entered the "South Gate" in the sunny period of life, and sustained by a conscientious regard for the duties involved upon him, he passed safely through the "West Gate," when he was stricken with disease and trials; but with integrity too deep to be shaken by the vicissitudes of fate, he trends the way of life with an unflinching trust, and arrives in age at the "East Gate," that opening through which he has just passed to a brighter and better world beyond, there to rest secure on the protecting love of his Heavenly Father, while we, as Masons, cherish the fond hope that we shall there meet, and meet to part no more forever. Be it therefore, Resolved, That a page in our minutes be set apart for this memorial, and a copy be suitably prepared for the family of our deceased brother, as an expression of sympathy in their great bereavement, and commending them to the Supreme Ruler, who looks down with infinite compassion upon the widow and

fatherless in the hour of their affliction, and will fold the arms of his love and protection around those who put their trust in Him.

C. COOPER,
G. W. CADMUS,
Wm. CADMUS, Committee.

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List of Letters.

Remainder unclaimed in the Post Office at Bloomfield, N. J., on May 27th:
Anderson, J. B. Peterson, N. J. (2)
Carroll, Sarah. Ropes, Thos.
Cooper, Harriet J. Ryan, John
Hartman, Delia. Simonson, Geo.
Hegeman, F. Smith, Alfred
Johnson, Wm. Surridge, Alice
McLaughlin, Mrs. D. W. Taylor, L.
Myers, Mrs. L. Tuttle, L.
O'Shanghnessy, Delia. Watts, Geo.
Pfeinmeyer, Wm. Zimmerman, Delia.

Specials.

GO WEST.

Parties moving to the West will find it to their advantage to call at the city office of the Erie Railway and obtain LOWEST RATES, MAPS, TIME TABLES, etc. Open daily till 10.30 p.m. 180 Market St., Newark.

Feary's Bureau of Information.

On and after Monday, May 4th, the citizens of Bloomfield are invited to call at the Picture Frame Depot of L. R. Chew, opposite Post office, and see the new styles of Mouldings. All the latest styles can be furnished at New York prices.

Having had a vacation on account of being burned out, I am ready to do all the work in my line which I can procure. I also make mosquito Net Frames and fit ordinary windows complete at \$1.00 and \$1.25 each.

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Board.

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Bloomfield Cemetery Notice.

The annual meeting of the lot owners in the Bloomfield Cemetery, will be held at the office of Thomas C. Dodd on Liberty street, on Monday, June 1, 1885, at 8 o'clock P. M. for the election of managers, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before them. C. PELOUBET, Treasurer. Bloomfield May 15, 1885.

WANTED.

A Bass Singer for a quartette choir. Apply to Rev. Dr. Farrington, at Christ Church Rectory, Liberty street, or by letter. P. O. BOX 185.

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Address, JOHN G. MAXFIELD, Bloomfield, N. J.

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